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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 14, 2005 and the  
Advisory Action dated December 6, 2005 please amend the above identified Application  
for Patent as follows.

## CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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**Amendments to the Specification:** There are no Amendments to the Specification in this paper.

**Amendments to the Abstract:** There are no Amendments to the Abstract in this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims:** Amendments to the Claims are reflected in a Listing of the Claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings:** There are no Amendments to the Drawings in this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments:** Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.